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Says He Will Fight It Out
Along These Lines.

Hope of Governmental Interference
Swells Big in Breast of the
Strikers.

SITUATION IS NOT CHANGED.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—"We shall fight it out along these lines, if it takes all winter," said President Small, of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union today. "We are able to hold out until December with our present resources, and can increase our assets at that time to fight the companies for an indefinite period."

Strikers Encouraged.

New York, Aug. 22.—The striking telegraphers were encouraged by a well founded report from Washington that Commissioner of Labor Neill will shortly lay before President Roosevelt all the information he has collected regarding the telegraph situation.

The commissioner has been in communication with the heads of the telegraph companies, and today in Washington he met representatives of the strikers. It is inconceivable that he should devote so much time to the subject unofficially and without a definite purpose.

At his office today Mr. Neill was busy compiling his telegraphic information, and there came no denial of the report that he will shortly forward a communication to the strike leaders and the companies.

The strike in New York appears to have developed into a waiting contest, a test of endurance. The telegraph companies have rounded up enough men to make a showing, although the service is sadly crippled and messages are accepted only subject to indefinite delay.

The companies are suffering enormously from loss of business, due to the well-grounded lack of public confidence in the service, but they would rather pocket this loss for a few weeks than give in to the union.

That the ranks of the strikers have not been broken was proven today from the lips of Superintendent Brooks, of the Western Union. He made it a point of telling how a single union man had returned to work, tearing up his union card and throwing it on the floor of the office. This is the first union man to go back, and the strikers have already learned his identity. On the other hand, the strikers claimed eight strike-breakers from the two offices today.

The strikers will bend their efforts the next few days to proving that an illegal combination exists between the Western Union and the Postal.

"We propose to show," said Mr. Russell, "that the recent raise in telegraph tariffs was unnecessary, and that the companies are profiting enormously. The 10 per cent. raise in salaries which they made in March was only a drop in the bucket. The companies make an average of \$150,000 worth of business a year on each wire between Chicago and New York, yet they rent a leased wire to a private concern for \$20,000 and make a profit on it."

Vandalia Discharges Men.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 22.—The Vandalia railroad has discharged several members of the Order of Railway Telegraphers for refusing to handle commercial messages and has hired non-union men. The general chairman of the order is here in conference with strike leaders.

Operator Insane From Overwork.

New York, Aug. 22.—Driven insane by exhaustion, due to overwork and long hours, Harry Behnkin, a telegraph operator in the main office of the Western Union building, at 105 Broadway, was taken to Bellevue hospital today.

Behnkin, who lives in Brooklyn, was working at his key when his brain gave way. He had been acting strangely since he came to work in the morning, and finally Sergeant Higgins and Patrolman Roberts were called in. They found Behnkin muttering to himself and saying "God bless you" every few moments to those around him. He had a bottle half filled with water and asked for a drink before the policemen took him out.

He resisted for a few moments, but afterward became quiet and ac-

WEATHER FORECAST.



Scattered showers tonight, Friday fair and warmer. Highest temperature yesterday, 75; lowest today, 64.

ANOTHER DISH.

New York, Aug. 22.—Half a dozen men are lying at the point of death today and a score of others are in the hospitals or under the care of physicians as the result of a riot in which 8,000 men participated late yesterday at the outing of the Tammany Jefferson club at College Point, L. I. The riots started in a quarrel, because one of the picnickers demanded a second dish of ice cream.

DRASTIC.

Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 22.—In a statement made public today Governor Comer grants the railroad companies until October 1 to comply with the recently enacted rate laws. If they do not comply by that time he declares he will call a special session of the legislature to urge the enactment of even more drastic laws.

ALL BURN.

Warsaw, Ind., Aug. 22.—In a gasoline explosion this morning Charles Webster, his wife and child, aged 2 years, were burned to death in their home near here. Mrs. Webster lighted the fire and when the tank exploded gasoline was thrown over her and the child. Webster tried to rescue them and his clothes caught fire and he was overcome. The house was consumed and their charred bodies were found in the debris.

BROKERS BROKE.

New York, Aug. 22.—The failure of Mills Bros. & Company was announced on stock exchange today. The firm was two years old. The failure is said to be the sequel to the failure of James H. Henning last October. It is understood the crash is a small one.

M'MILLEN SAFE.

New York, Aug. 22.—Dispatches from Berne, Switzerland, states that Francis MacMillen, the American violinist, reported lost in the Alps, is safe.

SIBERIAN REVOLT.

South Petersburg, Aug. 22.—Following a serious outbreak of soldiers along the Manchurian borders lately and a number of mutinies General Panteloff filed with the czar a special request, declaring the Siberian troops completely out of hand. In the event of a general revolt the general declares the soldiers will without doubt side with the revolutionists.

PEASANTS IN ARMS.

Buda-Pest, Aug. 22.—A bloody encounter between peasants and Hungarian soldiers, resulting in scores of casualties, occurred at Mostar. The soldiers invaded the town, plundering the homes of peasants, who armed themselves with scythes, pitchforks, guns and swords and attacked the soldiers' camp at night. Twenty-seven were killed and 50 wounded. Several soldiers were horribly butchered on account of the crude weapons used by the peasants.

complicated the policemen outside where he asked for more water. Mrs. Behnkin told the hospital authorities that her husband had decided to stick by the company when the break with the telegraphers came about a week ago, although he belonged to the local union. He had worked long hours. Mrs. Behnkin said, and she attributed his present condition partly to this fact.

SAMPLES OF SOIL TO BE ANALYZED

State Inspectors Are in Western Kentucky.

How Agriculture Experts at Lexington Determine Nature of Land and Adaptability.

GO TO LIVINGSTON COUNTY.

August F. Foerste, chief; Graham Edgar and George F. Brockman, members of the state geological survey, are in western Kentucky. Mr. Foerste passed through Paducah this morning en route to Smithland, where he will take samples of Livingston county soil. It is his first time up to this end of the state, and the result of the inspectors' work will be greatly beneficial to farmers. McCracken county will be worked in a week by all three representatives, and headquarters will be maintained here while surrounding counties are worked.

"We have come into western Kentucky to take samples of soil, and will send said soil from every section to Lexington for analysis," said Chief Foerste at the train this morning. "Annually farmers spend three and a half million dollars for fertilizers and the best result is not always obtained. For instance, one farmer may have good soil for tobacco, while his neighbor may have land adapted entirely to a different product. Because his neighbor is successful with one class of fertilizer, the owner of poorer land buys the same, with a result that his land yields no better crop than formerly. To get at the bottom of the trouble is what the state is trying to do, and this is why we are out."

Chief Foerste carried a small tube which he drives into the ground to a depth of several feet. The soil is carefully preserved in the tube drill and sent to the experiment station at Lexington. It is analyzed, and the result sent to the owner of the farm. He is advised as to what kind of fertilizer he should use and for what product his land is adapted.

"We have been in Graves county, the three of us," stated Chief Foerste, "and in two days covered 240 miles. This morning we start in different counties. I took Livingston county, Mr. Edgar took Lyon county and Mr. Brockman Caldwell county. It will require about one week for us to finish our territory, and then we shall meet here to combine and work McCracken county."

The only tools used by the inspectors are several hammers of different weights and the tube drill. The drill is too long for the satchel in which the hammers are carried, and is carried in the hand.

PREACHERS' UNION LATEST IN KANSAS

Coffeyville, Kan., Aug. 22.—As the result of a conference, the ministers of Coffeyville will announce a union scale of prices for conducting funerals and will appoint a committee to start the movement towards securing a state law to fix the price.

EDWARD STEWART WAS TO HAVE BEEN WED

Nothing has been received here of the recovery of the body of Edward Stewart, who was drowned at Memphis Tuesday. The family will be notified as soon as it is found. Searching parties have worked diligently since the drowning. A sad feature of the young man's death is that he was engaged to Miss Lillian Dicke, of Tennessee street, in this city, and the marriage would have taken place this autumn.

BOYLE TAKES APPEAL TO CIRCUIT COURT

Attorneys for Hugh Boyle this morning filed in circuit court appeals in three cases, wherein Boyle was fined in the police court for selling liquor without a license. One appeal is the \$100 fine imposed by Special Judge E. H. Puryear, and the other two, fines assessed by Special Judge W. F. Bradshaw, Jr., amounting to \$20 each.

BUNKERED!



Will John D. be able to lift the ball?

Schmedtgen in Chicago Record-Herald

State Officers Inspect Markets; will Prosecute Many Dealers for Violations of the Statutes

Interesting little signs were displayed on many butchers' benches this morning with the message, "This sausage contains preservative." All were placed in conspicuous places, and are consequent upon the presence of Dr. R. M. Allen and Dr. J. W. McFarland, of the state experimental station, of Lexington, in the city. But the use of "preservative" must be discontinued. When asked about the market Dr. Allen said: "You have a clean market, and Dr. Ed Farley is one of the best meat inspectors in the whole country. Quote me as saying that. He has the work in his heart and hereafter the state pure food inspectors are going to co-operate with him more than ever." For several days they have been on a quiet inspection and two feed dealers in the city will be brought before the grand jury on the charge of violating the pure food law. This matter has been turned over to County Attorney Barkley and will be taken up by the grand jury the first week in September.

Also the soda pop and soft drink manufacturers have been placed under the glass, and the pure food inspectors have made recommendations that will be obeyed. First the inspectors demand that pure water be used and the three manufacturers must have good carbonation and it must be free from lead. Imitation flavoring syrups have been used, and the manufacturers have all agreed to discontinue using them. Tonight the retail grocers will meet and Dr. Allen and Dr. McFarland will be present and instruct them on the state and national pure food laws. Some violations have been reported and the grocers have stated they are in the dark. In the next five or six weeks another inspection trip will be made in this city and all the dairies supplying milk to customers in the city will be inspected. In speaking of tuberculosis Dr. Allen is of the opinion that at the next meeting of the legislature a law will be passed requiring dairymen to have their stock tested for tuberculosis.

EXAMINATION OF CITY TEACHERS

Began This Morning and
Twenty-Seven Applicants
Are in Attendance.

Activity characteristic of regular school terms was conspicuous at the High school building this morning. Examinations of teachers for certificates to teach in the city public schools began this morning, and will continue through Friday. There are 27 applicants. White teachers are being examined by Prof. George O. McBroom and Mrs. John J. Dorlaan. The colored teachers are under Prof. George Washington Jackson. Teachers are assembled in different parts of the building on the second floor. "Of course, we cannot place teachers until the result of the examinations is known," explained Superintendent Carnegie, "but we hope that all will pass. Several are already elected to positions, and while we have looked over the list and decided in many instances on assignments, we cannot state definitely until all examinations are over, where we will place teachers."

In history and civics in the High school, and departmental work in the seventh and eighth grades, it is probable that male teachers will be employed, as the subjects appeal more to men, and an effort will be put forth to make the course particularly interesting to boys.

HOSKINS IS INSANE THE POLICE THINK

Man Who Tried To Take
Charge of Police Court
Is in County Jail.

His actions clearly demonstrating that he had lost his mind, and is not responsible for his actions, W. W. Hoskins, the one legged itinerant printer, who claims to hail from Lexington, Miss., was sent to the county jail this morning to be tried for insanity. He has caused the city authorities much trouble since his advent into the city, and is as wild and unmanageable as when first arrested. Hoskins kicked Patrolman Lige Cross in the head while being carried to the north end of the Illinois Central passenger station. He had just handed the popular policeman an upper cut in the way of greeting. After a day and night in the dungeon, he was reprimanded by Police Judge D. A. Cross and dismissed with orders to leave town. Instead of leaving he returned and announced that he had come back to take charge of the city court room. City Jailor Elytis and Detective Will Baker had their hands full putting him back in the dungeon, where he remained until transferred to jail this morning. He is still violent.

Mr. J. T. Ragsdale, of Bowling Green, left today for Princeton after a business trip in the city.

SMOKES CIGARETTES BUT MAY BE ALL RIGHT

People Who Know Leech,
Say Detective Has the
Wrong Man.

Detective T. J. Moore, accompanied by "M. Coffin," suspected of being Henry Leech, alias W. T. Leek, wanted here for fleeing Mr. Bud Dale, proprietor of the New Richmond House, out of \$250, arrived from San Antonio, Tex., today at noon, and persons who talked with Leech and know him, say that the prisoner is not the man.

At the city hall the prisoner exhibited a sheet of typewritten paper, in which he agreed to return with Detective Moore without a requisition. He claims San Antonio as his home, and declares that he is not the right man.

"M. Coffin, is my name and I am an engineer and a horse doctor," he explained. "The cause of my arrest is enmity of crooks in San Antonio. A government 'operator' had me arrested to get the \$25 reward. I did not mind the trip here much, but it put me to a little inconvenience."

The prisoner wears a Masonic ring, the same kind worn by Leech, and claims to be an engineer and to have lived in Oklahoma City. He is a Turkish cigarette smoker.

WHEAT PASSES DOLLAR POINT IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Aug. 22.—Wheat passed the dollar mark after a wild panic in the pit. Under a tremendous rush of buying orders the cereal's price went up by leaps and bounds. Just before noon it crossed the dollar mark. Almost on the next quotation \$1.01. This was for May delivery. In other options there was a corresponding boom.

ATTEND CONVENTION OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Among those who will attend the state Sunday school convention at Madisonville, August 26 and 27, are the Rev. W. E. Bourquin, pastor of the German Evangelical church, and county president; and Mrs. Bourquin, Mrs. F. W. Rash, of the county; M. L. Little Smith, Mrs. E. Miles and Mr. B. B. Adams, of the Methodist church; Mr. George B. McBroom, of the First Christian church, Mr. Vaughan Dabney, of the Christian church; Mr. W. T. Harrison, of the Seventh district; Miss Rosa Kolb, Miss Olga List, Miss Catherine Rock and Mr. Will Rock, of the German Evangelical church.

MOROCCO ABLAZE WITH FANATICISM

Interior Overrun With Revolutionary Sentiment.

Mulai Hafiz at Head of 15,000 Rebels
Is Declared Sultan of the
Country.

PANIC IS CREATED IN MOSQUE

Paris, Aug. 22.—Today's dispatches from Tangier show that the situation throughout Morocco is becoming more serious. There are fears that the whole country will soon be ablaze with a holy war, which will not be checked until after an awful sacrifice of human life, as the native fanatics have no fear of consequences when the fever of a war against the unbelievers has taken possession of them.

The interior is in a ferment. The rebels have proclaimed Mulai Hafiz, the brother of the sultan, as the true sultan. This has aroused the natives to a condition of wild excitement, and they are crying for revenge on the "foreign dogs."

Reports have been received at Tangier that Mulai Hafiz is at the head of 15,000 or 20,000 followers composed of fierce fanatics, who have been recruited from the most blood-thirsty tribes of the interior.

The Moorish army has appeared before Casa Blanca and another attack is expected. The constant strain of fighting is beginning to tell on the French troops of Casa Blanca, who all sleep with one eye open, with their arms beside them. Reinforcements have been asked for by Gen. Drude.

A large force of the sultan's troops has utterly routed a body of the Kmass tribesmen, killing and wounding many of them and burning their villages.

While the noonday prayers were being said, a voice suddenly shouted: "May Allah render our master, Mulai Mohammed victorious."

A panic at once followed. Mulai is the brother of the sultan, and the public proclamation of a new sultan, in a mosque, while there is a sultan on the throne, has always been a signal for a revolution.

Those in the mosque who heard the prayer for the success of Mulai, which was uttered by a soldier, fled to the streets. A panic followed. People hurried to their homes; shops were closed and the Jewish population double-locked themselves in their houses.

The soldier who created the panic will probably lose his head. He was arrested by soldiers and beaten until his body was a mass of wounds and blood. In this terrible condition he was thrown into a cell of a filthy jail.

The troops finally succeeded in restoring order in the city.

THOUGHTFUL THIEF SENDS EMPTY PURSE

A thief stole Mrs. Fred McCandless' pocketbook from her father's residence on Caldwell avenue yesterday and later returned it minus \$10. She is the daughter of Mr. W. T. Byrd, and arrived from Goiconda yesterday to visit her parents. Laying the pocketbook on a machine near the telephone, she went into the rear of the house. An expressman, who brought her trunk, used the telephone. Later, after the purse was missed, a colored boy threw it into the yard and ran. It was empty.

FOR CALDWELL PARK DEEDS ARE ON FILE

S. B. Caldwell and M. E. Mallory have transferred to the city of Paducah, property between Trimble, Williams and Burnett streets, to be used for park purposes, to be known as "Caldwell Park," and the improvements to be under the direction of the Woman's club. In event the city for two years at a time fails to use it as a park, the property reverts to the original owners. The city can not use the property for any other purpose, or dispose of it in any way.

Grahamville, Aug. 22.—(Special.)—Mr. Charles Crawford, who is critically ill of typhoid fever, is resting easy today, but his friends look for him not to recover.

A blank, aged, cream-colored page, likely an endpaper or flyleaf of a book. The paper has a slightly textured appearance with some minor discoloration and small dark spots or fibers visible. The page is oriented horizontally.



Mrs. Homelover:-

our furniture marches right out of our store into the homes of the people of this city because we have always made the prices right. we make a profit on the furniture we sell, but we only make a fair profit. we don't believe in asking high prices, but believe in making low prices and doing a big furniture business.

you need some things for the house, don't you? come and let us show you what we have got for you.

Rhodes-Burford Co.

IMMIGRATION

EXCEEDS THE PREVIOUS RECORDS OF GOVERNMENT.

Better Class Than Formerly and Fewer Are Rejected—Many Come From Russia.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Although immigration into the United States during each of the three years past has amounted to more than 1,000,000 each year, the new fiscal year, which began on July 1, promises to exceed even the 1,200,000 record of the past year.

Reports made to the immigration bureau show that during July 97,132 immigrants were admitted into this country. This was an increase of 15 per cent. over July, 1906, when the total number admitted was 84,402, and an increase of 28 per cent. over July, 1905, when the number admitted was 76,990.

While there was a large increase in the number admitted, agents report that the character of immigrants was of a higher standard.

The immigration from Russia to this country during July, 1907, was 23,971, as compared with 21,997 in the same month in 1906, and 16,409 in 1905. The total immigration for all countries during the six months ended July 31, 1907, was 786,667. During the same period in 1906 the total was 797,568, and in 1905 it was 647,183. During the six months ended July 31 last 144,531 Russians were admitted. The six months ended July 31 last show an increase of 45 per cent. in Russian immigration over the six months which ended July 31, 1905, but a decrease of 4 per cent. compared with the six months which ended July 31, 1906.

Frost.

"Did you say you took in the James town exposition?"

"No. I said I was taken in at it."

—Cleveland Leader.

Howell—Taking off your moustache makes you five years younger.

Powell—I don't see how that can be. The moustache was only three years old.

—Town Topics.

Only those who are not afraid of being poor really become rich.

FEDERAL COURT

PROCESS WILL BE ENFORCED BY DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

Attorney General Bonaparte Assures District Attorney of This Fact.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Attorney General Bonaparte has sent the following telegram to United States District Attorney Parsons at Montgomery, Ala., giving instructions in connection with the Louisville & Nashville railroad rate case:

"You are authorized to make public the following statement from this department: It is the duty of the department of justice to see that the process from all federal courts is duly served. This duty exists without any regard to the nature of the litigation in which such process may issue, or the parties to the cause."

This department has already announced publicly on more than one occasion that it would see the process of federal court requiring executive enforcement, duly enforced without regard to cost or consequences.

Every federal court will be sustained in the execution of its process so far as executive enforcement may be needed and respect will be exacted to all orders requiring such executive enforcement, passed by the federal court in the exercise of the jurisdiction which it has regularly assumed.

Lost All Interest.

As if animated by a common impulse, the crowd watching the amateur baseball game began to melt away.

"What's the matter?" asked the man who had just arrived. "Is the game over?"

"No," said one of the others. "A batter sent a ball just now through a plate glass window in that apartment house on the other side of the street, and one of the fellows is starting around with a hat to take up a collection to pay for the damage."

The average elevation of North America is 1,350 feet, and of South America 1,200 feet.

Only those who are not afraid of being poor really become rich.

Farmers and Potato Alcohol.

Port Dodge, Ia., Aug. 22.—As the time approaches for the removal of the tax on alcohol, the problem which confronts those most interested in it is what is best to make it from with a view to getting the largest returns. Another phase of the question which is not being overlooked is who will benefit most by its removal.

An examination of the machinery used in the passage of the bill brings to light the fact that the farmer is entitled to the greater part of credit. If not a large part of the glory. Singly and through his granges he practically dictated the vote which is, in time to bring him such great benefits.

Next comes the manufacturer, who sees in cheaper alcohol lower costs on his finished products and a consequent greater profit to himself. It is not expected that the buying public will realize any great saving in the retail prices of the hundred and one things into which it enters, for the manufacturer expects to secure a little extra profit. It would therefore seem that the one thing which takes place the first of next month is, who is to reap the benefit of the new law?

It appears to be a matter of common knowledge among those who know that the Standard Oil company has control of the wood alcohol plants of the country. As this item of commerce is the principal agent employed in the denaturizing process called for by the new law, it is apparent to any one wishing to denaturize a gallon of alcohol that he first must settle with them for his denaturizing agent.

Next comes the whisky trust, which has numerous idle plants scattered over the country capable of making a large quantity of alcohol, and if a sufficient number is not now in working order an additional number can be acquired readily.

Alcohol from molasses already is an established method of manufacturing. But the sugar refineries of the country are under the management of the sugar trust and some of its directors are members of the whisky trust.

Thus three of the greatest combinations of capital are ready to furnish alcohol at a price, and hundreds of manufacturers ready to purchase it to lessen their cost of manufacture, but what has the farmer done to make sure of the earnings of this new industry?

Relief in Potatoes.

The foregoing are some of the different phases of the question which have presented themselves for consideration to those who have given any study to this new industry which is destined to do so much for the American people. The real point for the people of the west to consider is, how are the western farmers to reap benefit from it? The answer is—potatoes.

In early days corn was raised purely as an item of food. In the pioneer days of New England it was used in church decorations on occasions of celebration. Roger Williams found the Indians making a pottage which they called "samp" from corn. But science has developed corn until at the present time there are over thirty different uses to which it is put. It is not only raised for food but the reduction of a corn crop in the six corn growing states of the union will vibrate a wave of price fluctuations that will reach all of the civilized nations of the world.

Three billion bushels of corn was raised last year and the money was paid to six states for it. Practically every one of the important corn products plants of the country today were developed after corn had been abandoned as a principal food product.

An acre of potatoes will produce over twice as much alcohol as an acre of corn. Experiments show that an acre of ground which will produce fifty bushels of corn will furnish

THE POWER OF STEAM.

Many May See But It Takes Genius To Realize.

When James Watt saw the steam causing the kettle lid to jump up and down he said: "There must be power in that steam that it can lift such a weight."

There was.

Millions prior to him had seen the same phenomenon and regarded it as an unexplained mystery.

Recent scientific research put its finger on the "cause" of Dandruff, Falling Hair, and consequent Baldness, and has unearthed a tiny germ which eats the life from the roots of human hair.

Newbro's Herpicide destroys this germ and consequently restores the hair to its natural state.

Sold by leading druggists. Two sizes, 50c and \$1.00. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. W. B. McPherson, Special Agent.

1,900 pounds of fermentable matter, 45 per cent of which will be obtained as absolute alcohol, 882 pounds or 130 gallons.

An acre of ground which will produce 300 bushels of potatoes will furnish 3,000 pounds of fermentable matter. This will produce 1,620 pounds of absolute alcohol, or about 255 gallons.

But there is another consideration with regard to the potato as a source of alcohol. We raise potatoes for human food and for scarcely any other purpose. We plant the potato which has the finest flavor for the table, without regard to its yield per acre. Were we raising potatoes for the purpose of making alcohol, we would do different. The variety which would yield the most abundant per acre would be planted. Where potatoes are used as a cattle food as they are in Germany, varieties of the latter kind are resorted to and there seems to be no obstacle to producing double the amount of alcohol as from the present yield. So that it would be within the bounds of reason to say that it is possible to secure 500 gallons of alcohol from an acre of potatoes.

Potatoes, moreover, are a commercial crop only when within a certain distance from market. At the average price at which the potatoes sell in the middle states it can be hauled only a comparatively short distance, but when reviewing it as a source of light, heat, and power, factories would be encouraged to country neighborhoods and the tubers grown for its largest possible yield of alcohol.

Pretty good testimony for potatoes.

Potato Handicap.

And how many do we raise? Three hundred million bushels last year. Not enough to go around some years and we have to buy a few in Europe.

Ten bushels of corn raised for each bushel of potatoes. What is the reason? It would appear that the general verdict is that they are an easier crop to raise than corn. The principal reason is this: Owing to the great bulk and perishable nature of the crop it cannot be transported as advantageously. In years of bountiful yield net returns to farmers are often unsatisfactory. This is the whole situation in a nutshell—no home market.

The western farmer can harvest his corn in the fall and draw it to the co-operative elevator or keep it at home and wait until the price gets him interested in selling it. But the man with the potato crop must hustle it to market and sometimes gets back a bill from the commission man for his trouble, market glutted, etc., etc., and all because there is not now any other use for them but to boil, bake, or fry.

It doesn't sound good at all. They do things different over in Germany, where they made 90,000,000 gallons of alcohol last year from potatoes.

This is what Congressman E. J. Hill says after a visit and an investigation:

"In Germany alcohol is made almost wholly from potatoes. The highest yield per acre was 360 bushels and from that down to 124; probably a fair yield would be around 200 to 225. The potatoes are grown by the farmers and manufactured into alcohol in individual farm distilleries and in co-operative distilleries as well. The aggregate product of the farm distilleries was about 50 times as much as that of the industrial distilleries in Germany. At the beginning of each year the syndicate managers fix the price which they will pay the producers for their product. This is based, of course, upon the condition of the crop. The price this year has been fixed at 25 per cent less than it was last, indicating a much larger crop. The product is taken and paid for by the syndicate as it is made by the various farmers. On all of this alcohol, which is made denatured or rendered undrinkable, the government allows a special return of tax previously paid, amounting to about 21½ cents a gallon. Out of this amount the expenses of the syndicate, an allowance for their investment with a fair profit on their business, and commissions for the wholesale and retail dealers are all paid, and whatever is left at the end of the season is returned pro rata to the farmer of original producer. I was told that as a general rule an additional return was made at the end of the year to the producer, but that occasionally the payment was the other way, the price at which the product was sold not being sufficient to reimburse the managers of the syndicate for the amounts already advanced at the beginning of the season."

Farmers Need a Market.

"The extent of the industry is shown by the fact that last year there were more than 91,000,000 bushels of potatoes consumed in the manufacture of alcohol. Over 8,000,000

acres of farms in Germany were planted to potatoes and nearly 6,000 distilleries were in operation.

"I have not the slightest doubt that alcohol can be made cheaper from corn in the United States, and that the same thing is true in the northern states from sweet potatoes. Certainly a traveler needs but a short stay in France or Germany to come to the conclusion that the cultivation of potatoes is an industry which can be greatly improved there when compared with the quality of our American product."

"I found that the practice was quite common of sorting the potatoes, the best being reserved for human food, the next grade for feeding animals, and the refuse or poorer grades for manufacturing alcohol. The first grade was selling at retail for 75 cents a bushel. The average cost of all potatoes grown in 1904-05 was 27.6 cent a bushel, and I am quite confident that this was far more than they were worth, quality being taken into consideration."

It would thus appear that it is up to the farmer to provide a means of marketing his product which would not be under the control of a large corporation. It would seem the better part of wisdom to utilize the co-operative system of neighborhood distilleries and avoid some one concern dictating the price to consumer for both the finished and raw product. If co-operative elevators pay, why not co-operative distilleries, and thus keep the industry in the hands of those who created it?

If German farmers with their methods of farming make it pay, what could the western farmer do with his methods and machinery? Consider the history of the sugar beet industry. Pioneers in this built factories and contracted with the local farmers to raise the beets. He raised them and the beet sugar industry is no longer in the experimental stage. It takes ten times as much labor to raise an acre of beets as it does an acre of potatoes. Co-operative distilleries and the manufacture of alcohol from potatoes means a new field of great revenue for the western farmer, who is in the best position to derive the greatest profit from the effect of the new law.

Where the Laugh Is.

Did you ever notice when a green looking country boy comes to town with his trousers a couple of inches short and probably wearing "government socks," that the city chaps as they term themselves, always find some way to make fun of him and make remarks about him? On the other hand, the city chap will go around with his trousers turned up about three or four inches, wearing a pair of hose that look like a sieve and a hat on his head that is pinned up in front until he looks like a broncho buster. Still there is no laugh coming from that side of the question from the fact that he lives in town.—Centralia (Mo.) Courier.

"I once lived on water, lady, for eight months."

"You don't look it. How did you manage it?"

"I was a sailor."—Chips.

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CLOTH FROM IRON AND STONE.

A Wool Made in Electrical Furnace—Fabric From Old Rope.

Cloth of gold the fairy books describe; cloth of iron is a real product of the mills. Iron cloth is used largely today by tailors for making the collars of coats set fashionably. It is manufactured from steel wool by a new process and has the appearance of having been woven from horsehair.

Wool which never saw the back of a sheep is being largely utilized on the continent for making men's suits. It is known by the name of limestone wool and is made in an electric furnace. Powdered limestone mixed with a certain chemical is thrown into the furnace and after passing under a furious blast of air is tossed out as fluffy, white wool. After coming from the furnace the wool is dyed and finally made into lengths of cloth. A pair of trousers or a coat made from this material can be burned or damaged by grease and is as flexible as cloth made from the sheep's wool.

Some time ago an English clothing manufacturer succeeded in making a fabric from old ropes. He obtained a quantity of old rope and cordage and unraveled them by a secret process into a kind of rough cloth. A suit of clothes made from it and worn by the manufacturer himself proved

strong in the extreme and kept its color well. It is said that a number of goods sold by some of the best London tailors at low prices are made of old ropes.—Chicago Tribune.

BROTHERS DROP HATE.

Massachusetts Men Estranged By Love for One Woman.

East Brookfield, Mass., Aug. 22.—The people here are amazed by the statement that Jarvis and John Woods, brothers, after an estrangement lasting 40 years, have become reconciled.

The brothers, it appears, wooed the same girl and, because Jarvis won her, John would not forgive him. The two have had their homes less than 100 feet apart.

Recently when John was taken ill his sister-in-law began nursing him. She succeeded in reconciling the brothers.

Mansfield Not Improving.

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Aug. 21.—Richard Mansfield has decided to prolong his stay at Amersand.

All inquiries as to the actor's condition are answered by Mr. Mansfield's brother, Felix, with the statement that there is no change.

The Poor Clergy Relief corporation of England in the last year has made grants to 766 persons, aggregating over \$55,000.

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Personally appeared before me,

this August 2, 1907, E. J. Paxton,

general manager of The Sun for the

month of July, 1907, is true to the

best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires January

22, 1908.

Daily Thought.

"Success is the ability to make

stepping-stones out of stumbling

blocks."

THE REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Governor—Augustus E. Wil-

son, of Louisville.

For Lieutenant Governor—W. H.

Cox, of Mason county.

For Attorney General—James

Breathitt, of Christian county.

For Auditor—Frank P. James, of

Mercer county.

For Treasurer—Capt. Edwin Far-

ley, of McCracken county.

For Secretary of State—Dr. Ben

L. Bruner, of Hart county.

For Superintendent of Public In-

struction—J. S. Crabbe, of Boyd

county.

For Commissioner of Agriculture

—N. C. Rankin, of Henry county.

For Clerk of Court of Appeals—

Napier Adams, of Pulaski county.

For Legislature—George O. Mc-

Broom.

Mayor.....James P. Smith

City Attorney.....Arthur Y. Martin

City Treasurer.....John J. Doran

City Clerk.....George Lehnard

City Jailer.....George Andrecht

City Tax Assessor.....Harlan Griffith

Aldermen—T. C. Leech, Harry R.

Hank, G. M. Oehlschlaeger, Jr., C.

H. Chamberlin, W. T. Miller.

Councilmen—Second ward, Al E.

Young; Third ward, C. L. Van Mes-

ter; Fourth ward, F. S. Johnston;

Fifth ward, S. A. Hill, Frank May-

er; Sixth ward, W. L. Bower.

School Trustees—First ward, W. M.

Karnes; Second ward, W. J. Hills;

Third ward, H. S. Wells and

J. H. Garrison; Fourth ward,

Dr. C. G. Warner and C. G. Kel-

ly; Fifth ward, I. O. Walker;

Sixth ward, J. C. Farley and Ed

Morris.

Hunchakist! Did you ever?

A plot to assassinate King Carlos,

of Portugal, was discovered by the

premature explosion of a bomb. Why

can't they be more careful in hand-

ling such instruments?

Railroads and steamboat lines

was the case with the man who fell

into the sea—politics got into him.

He would not cheat a blind man,

but he accepted an office that he and

everybody else knew was stolen. His

pride of citizenship probably was as

great as any man's; yet he counte-

nanced the rape of the ballot by a

horde of drunken policemen.

If Paul Barth had declined to ac-

cept an office won by such foul means

he would today be living, an honored

citizen. If he had accepted the trust

reposed in him in its fullest sense, he

would have cleaned out the city hall

and renovated the police department.

But he did neither.

Paul Barth's ambition and the sin-

ister designs of the machine met and

agreed, and Paul Barth was elevated

to the mayoralty chair, not by the

people, but by the machine. He knew

to whom his allegiance was due. He

was part of that coalition of selfish

interests, that strange amalgamation

of discordant elements held together

by the cohesive power of graft. He

sat with his back to the city hall and

his face to the public. What he didn't

see did not concern him. When it

accorded with the purposes of the

dominating force of the machine to

get rid of some one, he was "showed

up" to the mayor, and the mayor de-

posed him.

It was this pernicious theory of

municipal politics; that an office-

holder's obligation to his friends is

more sacred than his heaven regis-

tered oath to the people, that proved

the undoing of Paul Barth. His des-

perate deed may well give us pause

to see whether we are drifting. If the

citizens of Louisville did not appre-

ciate the full enormity of the offense

Paul C. Barth committed, they now

know that Paul Barth himself did.

What has occurred in Louisville

may well occur in any city, where

one dominant party has complete

control, and one faction has that

party in firm subjection to its will.

The Barth administration was laid

bare in a collision between two polit-

ical factions, in which, by strange co-

incidence, the courts decided in har-

mony with the desires of those fac-

tions, with which they are associated

politically.

It was the vindictiveness of faction-

al strife that made the exposure of

the Barth administration so merciless

in its method. It was not the good

of the public service, that actuated

Mayor Bingham, figure-head for the

combination of the state machine,

with the Kahn-Whallen-Knot aggre-

gation of Louisville; it was the degra-

dation of the Barth administration,

and the humbling of the Louisville

city machine.

That purpose was accomplished.

Peace reigns once more in Louisville,

where Mayor Bingham and County

Judge Lincoln will be accorded nomi-

nations to succeed themselves for a

brief term, after which the old regime

will be reinstated, and another honest

man will be traduced by his ambition

to be mayor of Louisville.

As for Paul Barth—the lesson of

his downfall is for the people, not the

machines.

The Standard Oil company's plea,

that it is being persecuted by the

government, sounds like the howl of

a wolf more than a cry of human dis-

tress. "That howl annoys us," the

people say. "Why don't they put it

out of its misery?"

Mrs. Eddy's "next friends" has

withdrawn the suit for an accounting

of her estate and an inquisition into

her mental capacity. They declared

their intentions were merely to pro-

tect Mrs. Eddy and her property from

dissipation by those they were sure

had power over her. They must have

received assurances that the estate is

all right.

William Jennings Bryan has es-

caped unharmful from his fourth rail-

road wreck—and two political

wrecks.

"Mr. Wilson is a gentleman of

character and ability and it is a

pleasure to observe that he starts his

stitution is in some respects the

most momentous act of their lives.

Too large a proportion have got

the university idea, regarding higher

education as simply the cramming of

book knowledge into young heads

and the storing up of transmitted

wisdom from the sages of the faculty

and their fellows. There never was

a more mistaken idea than this, and

the well rounded, properly educated

man, intellectually, morally and phy-

sically can come only from the col-

lege, and, at that, the college lo-

cated in the small town, the center

of whose life is the college itself.

In such a place the student spends

four years, not only studying under

men of learning and culture, un-

sullied by commercial passions, but in

social environments pervaded by this

same atmosphere, their whole lives

directed by this beneficent influence.

A man could spend four years in

such a town and absorb more than

he could "eram" in a larger institu-

tion in the same time.

Proper development of the social

side of a man is as necessary to a

good education, as the training of

his faculties. Man is gregarious.

The hermit is unnatural and useless

to society. The college life in the

typical "college town" is a modifying

influence, a transformer of ideals.

Under the spell of modern independ-

ent thought, the student mind, direct-

ed by the materialistic tendencies of

the times, is liable to agnosticism,

unless some ethical influence to coun-

teract this effect is applied contin-

ually, and nowhere else is this possi-

ble except in the "college town."

FOOTPADS IN PHILADELPHIA.

Daylight Hold-Up Nets Robbers Haul

of \$6,000.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 22.—Wm.

H. Hicks, paymaster for Schaum-

burg Uplinger, a textile machine

manufacturing company, was held

up this afternoon by three highway-

men in the northeastern part of the

city and robbed of a satchel contain-

ing \$6,000. The men were pursued

and one of them was captured after

several shots had been fired at him.

The other two men escaped with the

satchel. Paymaster Hicks is in a

hospital, suffering from a bullet

wound in the arm received in the

scuffle with the robbers.

FOUR CRUISERS TO SAIL.

Pacific Fleet Leaves Yokohama To-

day for Hawaii.

Yokohama, Aug. 22.—After six

days at Yokohama the first division

of the Pacific fleet of cruisers, the

Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Mary-

land and Colorado, Rear Admiral

Dayton commanding, leaves early to-

morrow under orders to proceed to

the west coast of the United States

via Hawaii, where it is anticipated

it will remain ten or fifteen days.

BABY ALONE WAS ALIVE.

Man Kills Wife and Self in An Ohio

Town.

Washington C. H., O., Aug. 22.—

Clarence House today shot and killed

his wife and then, turning the

weapon on himself, inflicted a mortal

wound. When the horror-stricken

parents of the woman stricken

into the room they found both bodies

upon the floor, while the 3-year-old

baby of the couple was caressing the

body of the mother and crying as

though its heart would break.

Few men would borrow trouble if

they had to give security.

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If you drop in to see

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our clothes you will ap-

preciate more what this

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IN THE COURTS

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R. S. Barnett et al to Sam Allen,

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\$4.00 Parasols.....\$2.00 \$2.00 Parasols.....\$1.00
\$3.00 Parasols.....1.50 \$1.00 Parasols......50

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—WANTED Fifty ship carpenters. Paducah Marine Railway company.
—Dr. Hoyer residence phone 464; office 175.
—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 400 1/2 Broadway. Phone 196.
—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.
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—Farley & Fisher, veterinarians, 427 S. Third. Old phone 1345; new phone 351.
—Have The Sun mailed to you or any of your friends going away for the summer. The address will be changed as often as desired, and the rate is only 25c a month.
—Hotel Belvedere Cafe, John Burns, steward. Soft shell crabs, frogs and all the seasonal delicacies.
—Gasoline boats for outing parties and hunting trips, furnished with licensed operator by Motor Boat Garage Co. Old phone 1113.
—Perpetual green lawn grass seed just received. Branson's, 529 Broadway.
—Local No. 348 Union Musicians, tomorrow night are giving at Wallace park pavilion, what will be the most pretentious dance of the summer season. All the orchestral musicians of the city will participate, forming two orchestras, of eight pieces each. These two orchestras will alternate in playing, furnishing continuous music so that no matter how large the crowd may be there will be no necessity of the floor being crowded. Admission is fifty cents; the right of admission is reserved, but all well disposed respectable persons are cordially welcome.
—The Ladies Mite society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. J. T. Thompson, 415 Clark street.
—The Modern Woodmen of America will give a fraternal entertainment with refreshments at Lone Oak Saturday night.
—Don't fail to hear Mr. Ben Fowler, the tenor singer and Herman Norris, the boy wonder, also illustrated songs and moving pictures, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 21, 22 and 23, at Koy Electric Theater. Admission 5 cents.
—Because some of the best goers in the Matinee club stables are absent from the city and officers of the club have important and urgent business, no Friday afternoon races will be held this week.
—Following are examinations ordered by the United States civil service commission for this district: Computer, United States naval observatory, September 11-12; nautical expert, September 18; manufacturing cement chemist, September 18; mechanical draftsman, ordnance department at large, September 18, 19, 20.
—Dr. J. W. T. Patterson, of 405 North Twelfth street, announces that in future he may be reached by new phones 661 or 1509 instead of old phones 1161-m or 2099.

TURNED BACK AT FRONTIER.

Rabbi Hirsch Is Not Allowed to Enter Russia.

Paris, Aug. 22.—Very few people are in Paris just now against their will, but such is the position of Dr. Hirsch, of Chicago, one of the foremost rabbis and workers for the benefit of Russian Hebrews. Dr. Hirsch came from Chicago to make a special endeavor on their behalf in Russia, but was turned back when he reached the Russian frontier.

He returned to Paris and is now at the Grand Hotel, debating what to do next.

PEOPLE AND SOCIAL EVENTS

Outland-Jetton.

The many friends of Mrs. May Jetton, who is associated with uncle M. W. Martin in the Pomona book and music store, and is a member of the church choir, will be pleased to learn of her marriage to Mr. Edgar Outland, of Murray, Ky. The wedding took place at Los Angeles last week Wednesday, after which the happy couple proceeded to Long Beach to spend a few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Outland will come to Pomona to make their future home. Mrs. Outland is formerly from Kentucky and has known her husband from childhood. Mr. Outland is a successful young business man and will be welcomed to our city.—Pomona (Cal.) Review.

Lawn Party.

The Misses Dora and Margaret Beyer pleasantly entertained Tuesday evening at their home in the county with a lawn party in honor of Miss Freda Dunbar, of Paducah, the charming guest of Miss Hattie Schmidt. About 40 guests were present. Music, games and refreshments rendered the evening enjoyable to all.

Dance for Visitor.

One of the most delightful dances of the season was given last night at the Wallace park pavilion in honor of Miss Hattie Carey, of Cairo, who is visiting Miss Henry Alcott. The evening was cool and a delightful one for dancing. In the party were: Misses Majorie Loving, Nell Hendrick, Helen Hills, Rosebud and Lillian Hobson, Elsie Hodge, Garnett Buckner, Florence Loeb, Jeanette Petter, Brooks Smith, Dorothy Langstaff, Manie Cobb, May Owen, Phillipa Hughes, Hattie Carey, of Cairo, and Messrs. Carl Leigh and Henry Eckstein, of Chicago; Henry Kopf, Charles Kopf, James McGinnis, Guy Martin, Felix St. John, Will Baker, H. Spillan, Roscoe Reed, Dr. Walter Iverson, Grover Jackson, Sam Hughes, Fred Gilliam, Tom Coburn and J. Louis Gabel.

Charming Little Guest.

Miss Mary Overstreet, of Paducah, who is the charming little guest of Mrs. Charles Boswell, entertained a few friends Monday evening with a 6 o'clock dinner. After the elegant dinner was served, the young folks enjoyed various games and other amusements. The evening was a round of pleasure and the young ladies will long remember it. Miss Overstreet's guests were as follows: Misses Marion Jones, Louise Parkhill, Martha Crossland, Harry Parkhill, Virginia Farley, Margaret Taylor, Tan Boswell and Mary Overstreet.—Mayfield Messenger.

Miss Belle V. O'Brien has returned from Cerulean Springs.

Mr. Will McCann, 1129 Madison street, left today for Dawson Springs.

Miss Anna Hays, 1131 Madison street, left today for Cincinnati and Chicago on a several weeks' visit.

Mr. Stewart Dick, city tax assessor, who is ill at the residence of R. H. Noble, 1666 Broadway, is slowly improving.

Miss Daisy Thomas, of Maplewood Terrace, returned today from a visit to friends and relatives in Dublin.

Mr. John D. Scates, traveling auditor of the Planters' Protective association, left today for Guthrie. Mr. Scates has been in the city for several days and now goes to Guthrie to make a report of the amount of tobacco.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore, 2210 Monroe street, returned today from Memphis, where they have been visiting.

Mrs. C. L. Harrington, 1936 Monroe street, and Miss Daisy Holloman left today for New York and other cities in the east.

Detective Will Baker went to Dawson Springs today.

Mrs. Kate Van Pelt has returned from a several weeks' visit in Louisville and Jeffersonville.

Prof. C. M. Lieb has returned from a trip on the Mississippi river and will be in the city a week or more.

Mr. Max Rosenblatt, the cigar maker who left Paducah several years ago and settled in Denver, has returned to reside. He will open a cigar factory here.

Miss Caroline Ham, of 313 North Sixth street, supervisor of music in the public schools, has returned from Chicago, where she completed a course in vocal and instrumental music, and work having especial reference to school music.

Mr. Herbert L. Wallerstein left last night for Chicago and the lakes for a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wallerstein will leave tonight for Michigan and the lakes.

Mr. George Lehnhard, license inspector, and children have returned from a visit to friends in Evansville.

Mr. R. J. Barber has returned from a visit at Princeton.

Mr. Lawrence Razor and mother, Mrs. L. P. Razor, returned home today from Port Worth, Tex. Mrs. Razor left her daughter, Mrs. Louis Hollins, much improved.

Miss Helen Stone and Flossie Craig have returned from a visit in Evansville and Booneville, Ind.

Mr. W. B. Kennedy has returned from a business trip to New York and Hopkinsville.

Mr. E. W. Whittemore has returned from a six weeks' visit to Niagara Falls, New York and other cities in the east.

Miss Zula Cobb and niece, Miss Caroline Mather, left this morning for Washington, the Jamestown exposition and other cities in the east.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lehrer and daughter, Rosa, have returned from Dixon Springs.

Mrs. P. H. Fields, of South Fourth street, has gone to Fulton on a visit to the family of Mr. Charles Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Pike have gone to Murphysboro, Ill., on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. D. C. Glass.

Messrs. Carl Leigh and Henry Eickstein will leave tomorrow for their home in Chicago after a visit to relatives here.

Mr. Will Fisher, 901 Jefferson street, has gone to the Jamestown exposition and other cities in the east.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mulligan and children, of Louisville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Coburn, of Washington street.

Mrs. Will Gilbert, Professor Harry Gilbert and Miss Nell Barry are guests at a house party given by Mrs. Jessie Cooley, Misses Henry Alcott and her guest, Miss Hattie Carey, of Cairo, left today to join the house party.

Mrs. B. B. Linn and daughter, Mary, have returned from a visit to Mrs. Linn's daughter, Mrs. B. B. Keys, of Fate, Tex.

Mrs. Fred McCandless, of Goldconda, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Byrd, South Thirteenth street.

Mrs. William Hughes and Emma Boyd have returned from Asheville.

Mr. Nathaniel Black, of Oakland, Cal., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. William Marble, wife of the well known attorney.

Mr. J. W. Hughes went to Calvert City this morning on business.

Mrs. Lizzie Ezell returned from Saratoga Springs this morning after a week's stay in the popular resort.

Mrs. R. L. Grogan, of Murray, was in Paducah last night.

Mr. W. V. Eaton will leave tomorrow for Central City to take depositions.

Miss Joe Miller, 416 South Sixth street, has returned from a visit to friends at La Center.

Mrs. D. H. Hughes and Charles Wheeler, of Wheeler, Hughes & Berry, are in Wickliffe today on business.

Mr. Ernest Baker, of Central City, is in the city.

Mrs. C. W. Emery and son, Lorenzo, and Miss Mabel McNichols, have returned from the Jamestown exposition, Washington and other cities in the east.

Dr. Vernon Blythe has returned from Louisville, where he accompanied Mr. W. L. Houston, who has been ill of fever. Mr. Houston stood the trip well.

Miss Ethel O'Brien, 1901 Jefferson street, left this afternoon for Cerulean Springs.

Col. Bud Dale and Mr. W. H. Rayzor are attending a picnic at Fortson's creek, in the county, today.

Mrs. W. H. Carroll, 421 North Seventh street, and little Miss Ione Carroll left this morning for St. Louis to visit Mrs. Carroll's daughter.

Attorney J. C. Speight, of Mayfield, is in the city on professional business.

Dr. R. C. Gore, of Lone Oak, is in Paducah today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Trout and little daughter Grace, of Jonesboro, Ark., left for their home this morning after a few days' visit to Mr. Roy Morgan.

Mr. Melvin Wallerstein returned last night from a two weeks' vacation, spent in the larger cities.

Miss Ruby Halley, 907 Harrison street, returned today from Brin, Tenn., where she attended a house party.

Mrs. Lillian Jameston, of Mayfield, was in the city today visiting friends.

Mr. S. N. Hecht left today for New York on a business trip. He will be gone for several weeks.

Mrs. Carrie Girardey left today for New York and other eastern cities on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hall, 434 South Fourth street, left today for New York, the Jamestown exposition and other eastern cities.

Mr. George Schaefer, of Cincinnati, left today after a business trip in the city.

Mr. L. C. Goering returned to his home in Owensboro today, after visiting Mayor and Mrs. D. A. Yeiser at their summer home in Arcadia.

Mrs. J. B. Moss and children are visiting her mother, Mrs. M. O. Allen, 514 North Fourth street.

Mrs. R. L. Grogan, of Murray, and son, Mr. Hal Grogan, passed through Paducah today en route home from Kansas City. Mrs. Grogan is the mother of Attorney J. R. Grogan.

GIRLS DISAPPEAR.

Berlin Police Have Several Mysteries to Solve.

Berlin, Aug. 22.—The mysterious disappearance of young women in Berlin is increasing to an alarming extent. No less than five such disappearances were reported to the police today, and a number of others occurred this week. It is surmised that "white slave" operators are at work and probably export their victims, as most of the girls disappeared without leaving any trace of their whereabouts.

ENDEAVORERS MAKE GAINS.

67,776 Societies, With 4,000,000 Members, Included in Figures.

Warsaw, Ind., Aug. 20.—The Christian Endeavor society has had a large growth, according to figures introduced today at the annual conference being held at Winona lake. There are now 67,776 societies and 4,000,000 members. Sixty denominations have Christian Endeavor societies. In the last five years 6,000 new societies have been organized.

Seventeen Millions.

Michael Holland, of Pine Bluff, Ark., who has been in Paducah on business, yesterday received word that arrangements had been made for the settlement of the estate of his uncle, Dennis Holland, a millionaire resident of Cork, Ireland, who died about one year ago. He left an estate estimated at \$17,000,000. Mr. Holland went home yesterday to arrange for a trip to Ireland.

Steeplejack Falls 448 Feet.

London, Aug. 22.—John Goldie, the famous steeplejack, fell this forenoon from the top of the Toward chimney, which is 448 feet high and the highest in the world. His body crashed through the roof of the works and was mutilated beyond recognition.



A long step in the right direction.

The cold spring has made it hot for us. We are carrying too many straw hats on hand.

Rather you'd carry them on your head.

This week your choice at one-fourth off the regular price.

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LADIES—Our catalogue explains how we teach hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, etc., in few weeks, mailed free. Moler College St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Experienced double entry bookkeeper. Must be accurate and able correspondent. State age, previous employment and salary expected. Address Z, care The Sun.

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WANTED—For U. S. army: Able-bodied unmarried men between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of the United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. Men wanted now for service in Cuba. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, New Richmond House, Paducah, Ky.

FOR SALE—Good farm in Livingston county 1 mile from Coffee landing, on public road; 50 acres of land, 10 acres orchard. Good 4-room house. Land all cultivated. Good out buildings. Apply 424 Kincaid avenue. Phone 1639. W. H. Bollin.

EVERY ONE SATISFIED.

With Results of Recent Royal Conferences, Says Clemenceau.

Marlenbad, Bohemia, Aug. 22.—M. Clemenceau, the French premier, who is taking the cure at Carlsbad, luncheon with King Edward here this afternoon. The preacher also saw Sir Edward Goshen, the British ambassador to Austria-Hungary, who is in attendance on the king. The results of recent royal meetings at Wilhelmshohe and Ischl were fully discussed, with apparent satisfaction on the part of all concerned.

BODY FOUND HANGING

FROM TREE IN THICKET

Nashville, Aug. 22.—The body of an unknown man was found hanging to a tree in a thicket in an eastern suburb of Nashville today. He was hanging by a leather strap fastened to his neck and a limb of the tree. The impression is that it was a case of suicide, but the man may have been the victim of foul play. He was a middle-aged man with nothing about his person to indicate his identity.

Potomac Steamer Is Ashore.

Washington, D. C. Aug. 22.—The Norfolk and Washington Steamboat company's incoming steamer Norfolk ran aground in a fog early today in the Potomac river, near Maryland Point, forty miles from the city, and up to a late hour had not been floated. The several hundred passengers aboard, many of them Jamestown exposition excursionists, were transferred to the steamer Jamestown and brought to the city. At no time were they in danger.

Condition of First Street.

Members of the street committee of the general council will meet with the city solicitor, representatives of the Illinois Central and property owners on First street tomorrow night, in regard to the condition of First street.

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With Dr. J. Q. Taylor.

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Office Both phones 47.

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Mrs. Haigh: "Did that idea of putting whisky in your husband's tea to cure him of drink succeed?"
Mrs. Beigh: "Oh, well, he hasn't touched a drop since."
Mrs. Haigh: "Of whisky?"
Mrs. Beigh: "No. Of tea."

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H.C. Hollins

GEO. ADE'S FABLES

The Town Lover; or, How the Lady-Killer Blew Up In the Stretch.

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NO SCANDAL.

There once lived at a prominent half-way Junction a local swell known as Wilbur. He was what one might call a Half-Portion. That is, he was a little shy on weight, but what he lacked in Avordupois he made up in Nerve. He was a Fresh Gasabe, who could get away with anything. For instance, he could sit in a Lady's Lap for an Hour at a Time without starting a Scandal, and yet if a full-grown Man tried to hold this same Lady's Hand for a couple of Minutes, just to be sociable, she would tell around that she had been insulted.

In speaking of Wilbur the Girls usually said that he was Cute, or else just too Cunning for any use. The Men said various Things about him, but what they said does not come under the head of Sunday Reading.

Every Debutante wanted to wear him on her Chatelaine, but most of the Men were plotting to drop a little Prussic Acid into his Ice-Cream Soda.

For some Reason or other the glib young Squab who is a Ten-Strike with the Dolly Greys never stands very Ace with the Poker-Players.

When a man has put some blonde Esmeralda up on a Pedestal a mile high and is silently waiting for the Day when he will know her well enough to carelessly throw one Arm over the back of the Chair, it makes him Hop-Eyed to see some 30-pound Rabbit with an immortal Hind chase up to the Goddess and give her the kitchy-kitchy Business under the Chin and call her "Babe."

The Pocket-edition Society Boy can take Liberties that would cause the Six-Footer to be murdered and thrown into the River.

Wilbur was the busiest little Insect that ever buzzed, and his Work had a Mahogany Finish. He could put in an Afternoon with five or six boulevard Nettes and make every one of them think that she was the High Card.

His Den was richly decorated with Trophies of the Chase, and the Post-man became top-sided from delivering his Mail.

There is such a Thing as being too Popular, and that was what ailed Wilbur. He was being passed around all the while and never had time to devote himself to any particular Queen, and besides, he didn't meet very many that were Particular. He fluttered from Flower to Flower; and he did not have the Heart to tie up with any one of the Bunch and make her his Steady, because he knew that the others would pine away or else renounce the World and enter a Convent.

One Reason why Wilbur had such a strong Pull with the Buds was that he never permitted his Work to interfere with his Social Duties. They could get him on the Phone at any time and book him for any kind of a Stunt from a Luncheon to a Golf Tourney. He kept his Evening Clothes at the Office, and he could respond to a Dinner Invitation like a Fireman going to a Fire. He never side-stepped a chance to eat.

One of his prize Specialties was to play sympathetic Companion to the Woman whose Husband belongs to a Club. He cultivated the antique Hens who make out the Invitation Lists, and that is why Wilbur usually led the German and distributed the Favors when the Smart Set pulled off a Cotillon. Although he was on Salary, he somehow contrived to hold up his End. Fortunately, his Board did not cost him anything, and he squared all of his Society Obligations by making Party Calls instead of sending American Beauties.

Inasmuch as all of the real Tessies were more or less crazy about Wilbur, it seemed a lead-pipe Certainty that he would land an Heiress who would take him to Palm Beach on a Wedding Tour and then pay his Tailor Bills for all time. However, so many were on his Trail that not one of them had a chance to monopolize him. Just when Hortense would get him off into a Corner to tell him that she loved Blue Eyes, Beryl would come along and begin to stroke his Hair, and then Clarice would come up and pin Violets on him.

A Selling-Plater can keep after one Girl and finally bound her into making a Promise, but the Honey Boy has to play a Circuit all the Time. Wilbur usually had about 47 Names in his Date-Book.

He never ran short, because when

the June Brides dropped out, a new Crop, fresh from the Boarding-Schools, came in to fill the Vacancies. Year after Year the Ladies' Idol continued his heart-breaking Career, not because he wished to be Cruel, but because he couldn't help being so all-fired Entrancing.

There never was a Time when he could have put a Tag on any Dulcinea without putting a Blight on the entire Female Community; so he waited.

In fact, he overdid the Waiting Act. About the time that he outgrew his Hair and began to look a little puffy around the Eyes, the Lumty-Tum Elite caught the Athletic Fever. The Real Boy in Society, was the husky Fellow who had played on a College Eleven and who owned a String of Polo Ponies.



EVENING CLOTHES ALWAYS READY.

Little Wilbur, the has-been Midge, found that he could drift into a Drawing-Room without causing the faintest Ripple.

Now that he was becoming Bald and Shelf-Worn, no one cared to use him as a Pet.

He was lucky if he got a few kind Words from some elderly Patroness. As for the Girls who owned a Million Dollars apiece, they couldn't see him with a Spy-Glass.

So he became that pathetic Figure, the played-out Bean—the extinct Volcano in the Landscape of Gayety. He tried to butt in, from Force of Habit, but he had the Ice Pitcher handed to him so often that at last he got wise to himself and realized that he belonged on the Top Shelf.

He did what every Man does—viz., the best he can. He looked up with a Maiden Lady who looked all right in the Dark, and although a Bundle of Money came with her, he earned all that he got.

MORAL: He who nails the First One seldom makes a Mistake.

OZONE AS A STERILIZER.

New Method of Purifying Ill-Smelling Beer Kegs.

Ozone was recently employed for the purpose of sterilizing and cleaning ill-smelling and putrid beer kegs. The process employed is of considerable interest, and is as follows:

When the casks and other receptacles were not too much soiled they were first washed and steamed, and next ozonized air was blown direct through the bung hole. In cases where the kegs were much soiled and ill-smelling and the interior showed numerous micro-organisms, they were partly filled with water, and ozonized air was introduced through the water by means of a tube.

When in a very foul state the casks were first chemically cleaned with sodium hypochlorite or magnesium hypochlorite solution; sometimes the chlorine was freed by adding a small quantity of acid, the kegs were closed and shaken vigorously; next they were treated with ozonized water until the last traces of chlorine were removed. In this manner very foul and ill-smelling casks were rendered perfectly sweet and free from mold and bacteria.

Exhaustive quantitative tests instituted by the author with the wood of the interior of the kegs revealed that the number of bacteria which were innumerable before the disinfection, had decreased to but a few after a half hour's treatment. The experimenter tested the behavior of ozone to yeasts and bacteria and found that bacteria are more sensitive to this disinfectant than the yeasts.—Philadelphia Record.

Old Time Irrigation Works.

There is nothing new under the sun. It has been discovered that irrigation works existed long before Columbus discovered America. An investigation by the Geological Survey has brought to light the ruins of an ancient canal, twenty feet below the present surface, constructed in prehistoric times, and in order to prevent the scorching climate from drinking up the water before it could be distributed over the fields the canal had been lined with some kind of cement which has withstood the elements for centuries. Today, in the same country in the vicinity of Phoenix alone, there are more than five hundred miles of canals and ditches and more than 200,000 acres of cultivated fields, producing cereals and grasses of every kind, and even tropical products for luxury as well as necessity. But the secret of the ancient canal builders who constructed their ditches so as to save the last drop of water still remains unsolved.—Utica Press.

It's awfully hard for a woman to believe the nice things she tells other women about her husband.

SPIRITED AWAY IN BROAD DAYLIGHT

Former Postoffice Clerk Handcuffed in St. Louis.

Employer Believes He Is Victim of Plot of Three Government Inspectors.

ROMANCE OF OFFICIAL LIFE.

Hot Springs, Ark., Aug. 22.—Kidnaped in broad daylight on a public thoroughfare of Hot Springs, bundled into a waiting cab, handcuffed, drugged and spirited away to St. Louis, there to make a thrilling escape from his mysterious captors by leaping from a swiftly moving train, were the melodramatic experiences of Relis Chitwood, a former government employe, who disappeared from here Sunday afternoon. No solution of the mystery was had until a message arrived from St. Louis today telling of the appearance there of a suspicious looking person wearing handcuffs, who said he had been drugged in Hot Springs, Ark., by two unknown men, and that after drinking something in a cab with them he had lost consciousness until he awakened in a Pullman berth, and that he had jumped from the fast train to escape a fate which he could not imagine.

The fact that three postoffice inspectors who had registered at the Great Northern hotel disappeared simultaneously with Chitwood, and that the young man had been involved in a series of difficulties with them; that he has made on the witness stand sensational charges against certain inspectors and officials of the local postoffice, and that he has been indicted by the federal grand jury on nine charges which he claims were trumped up, and of which he was cleared in the courts at Little Rock; these considerations lead to the belief that his abduction was the work of special agents of the government although no new charges have been formally lodged against the young man.

"Let him have what money he needs. He is as good as gold," was the message sent to the Simmons Hardware company by Ham Williams, president of the Williams Hardware company, leading concern of Hot Springs, after Chitwood had applied to the former firm for money to pay his fare home.

Chitwood is at present employed by Mr. Williams, who believes the young man absolutely innocent of the charge placed against him. "I believe him to be a victim of persecution and conspiracy," said his employer, and I expect to stand by him. Chitwood charged on the stand in the federal court at Little Rock that a certain postoffice inspector and another postal official had sought to force him to swear to a lie in order to convict former Assistant Postmaster Sam McConnell of serious charges. The cases against McConnell failed, although he was ousted from his position. Chitwood was cleared of eight of nine charges against him in the lower United States supreme court, while the one conviction was reversed in the appellate court. When the federal grand jury convened again still another charge was placed against him, that of perjury, which still hangs over him.

"Of Such is the Kingdom."

We no longer believe in the cherubim consumers floating amid the cloud spaces and fingering unproductive harps.

Some American horse sense will have none of such stuff. Not only does it know better than to dally with the nonsense of suffering the rising generation to rust in profitless play, but it can also readily and without stretching matters justify its fine national industry of canning childhood.

The breaker boys whose fingers redden the anthracite, the infants of the glass infernos and the babes of the cotton hells can all give cards and spades to the molly-coddles of the harp strings. Medieval art, born in an age unblest by humming factories and juicy figures of prosperity, must be held responsible for peopling the fancies of the sentimental with parasite angels.

If reformers had common sense they would cease bidding us tease a generous Providence by monkeying with the present admirable arrangement of matters industrial. They are overmuch engrossed with the affairs of this planet, anyway. Let them give some thought to the conditions in the after-life.

Thus far our surmises as to the other world have sifted down through inept religious visionaries. What we need is sound word on this subject from a practical mind. Only practical persons can understand what prosperity means and there must be a stiff price for it.

They should be able to show with

MIND DERANGED BY COMIC CARDS

Cause Attributed for Suicide of Paul C. Barth.

Had Become Despondent Since Cruel Exposure of City Hall Methods.

STORY OF HIS LIFE'S ENDING.

Louisville, Aug. 22.—In a fit of despondency former Mayor Paul C. Barth shot himself in the head in the toilet room, adjoining his office at the Utica Lime company, 421 Main street, and died twenty-five minutes later.

The report of the pistol and the subsequent falling of the body appraised Stenographer Frank Satamachia of the tragedy. He screamed to clerks in the main office and Wallace B. Mann and Arthur E. Livingston hurried to the rear and into the toilet room, where they found the body of their employer, the blood streaming from the wound. They carried him into the office and summoned Dr. Andrew Sargent.

Bullet Through Brain.

The bullet from a thirty-two caliber Smith & Wesson revolver, struck him just over the tip of the right ear and plowed its way through his brain. The revolver, a brand new one and of the largest pattern, contained six loaded cartridges, while six others were found in the pockets of the dead man. But one shot was fired, and the pistol was found in Mr. Barth's lap. The body was in a sitting posture.

Coroner Ellis Duncan, who was dining at the Tavern club, was hurriedly summoned, and after viewing the body ordered it removed to the undertaking rooms of J. J. Barrett & Sons, to be prepared for burial. Mr. Barth's wife was buried by the Barrett Undertaking company, and Mr. Barth is said to have expressed a wish to have them officiate at his funeral.

Had Been Despondent.

Since the publication of the story of the horse purchased by former City Buyer Bishop for the use of Mayor Barth, and which Mr. Barth said he later decided to buy because of his attachment for the animal, upon which transactions his friends say a wrong construction was put, Mr. Barth had been morose and despondent. His friends rallied to him and attempted to cheer him but to no avail. He continued to brood over the affair until his friends insist that he became mentally deranged.

Poisoned With Comic Post Cards.

It was learned this afternoon that for the past several days Mr. Barth's mail has been flooded with comic post cards from all sections of the country containing the picture of a horse and such expressions as "A horse on you." These post cards and the numerous references made to the horse which he recently purchased from the city are believed to have contributed to his despondency which resulted in his suicide.

We have several good driving horses for sale at reasonable prices and will guarantee them as represented. Call and see them.
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Now located at
Glauber's Stable.
We are ready for all kinds of hauling.
TELEPHONE 499

case that what the dreamers call the wheels of fate and the loom of destiny are nothing more than typical American enterprises on a cosmic scale. And surely for such a job trained hands are needed and not transfigured ninnies.
A truce to agitation. Child labor is fulfilling a divine purpose. Train up a child in the way he should toil and when he is dead he will make good.—Life.

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Very frequently the most inferior goods depend on their sale by having a green stamp on the neck of the bottle. This counts for nothing without merit and quality is in the bottle.

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And
Jack Beam

Is nine summers old. The government stamp will so indicate.

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**SMALL AS A PILL
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FOUND A NAIL IN HIS SKULL.

**Survivor of Many Falls Has No
Chance Now.**

A remarkable discovery, says the Brooklyn Eagle, was made by the surgeons of Williamsburg hospital while they were operating on the skull of William V. Albright, who fell from the elevated structure being erected across the Brooklyn plaza of the Williamsburg bridge. The surgeon came across a hard substance embedded in the skull and a closer examination disclosed it to be the head of a nail. It proved to be a nail fully three inches long, which had penetrated the brain.

The associates of Albright say he has had a remarkable career since he became an iron worker. He has had several 30 and 40 feet falls, and one 87 foot fall from a New Liverpool bridge. One time he fell 100 feet from a bridge in Pennsylvania into the water and was nearly drowned before hauled ashore.

WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS.
Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face especially under the eyes? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you—at Druggists. Price 50c. Williams, Mfg. Co., Prop., Cleveland, O.

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—C. J. Farnham, 35 Park Ave., New York City, N. Y.



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Leaves Paducah for Cairo and way landings at 8 a. m. sharp, daily, except Sunday. Special excursion rates now in effect from Paducah to Cairo and return, with or without meals and room. Good music and table unsurpassed.

For further information apply to B. A. Fowler, General Pass. Agent, or Elven Fowler, City Pass. Agent, at Fowler-Cruzbaugh & Co's. office Both phones No. 22.

THE LION AND THE MOUSE.

By CHARLES KLEIN.

A Story of American Life Novelized From the Play by
ARTHUR HORNBLow.

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(Continued from last issue.)

"Hello, Shirley," he cried gayly. "Who would have expected to find you rusticated on a bench here? I pictured you grinding away at home doing literary stunts for the governor." He grinned and then added: "Come for a drive. I want to talk to you."

Shirley demurred. No; she could not spare the time. Yet, she thought to herself, why was not this a good opportunity to explain to Jefferson how he came to find her in his father's library masquerading under another name and also to ask him to secure the letters for her? While she pondered Jefferson insisted, and a few minutes later she found herself sitting beside him in the cab. They started off at a brisk pace, Shirley sitting with her head back, enjoying the strong breeze caused by the rapid motion.

"Now tell me," he said, "what does it all mean? I was so startled at seeing you in the library the other day that I almost betrayed you. How did you come to call on father?"

Briefly Shirley explained everything. She told him how Mr. Ryder had written to her asking her to call and see him and how she had eagerly seized at this last straw in the hope of helping her father. She told him about the letters, explaining how necessary they were for her father's defense and how she had discovered them. Mr. Ryder, she said, had seemed to take a fancy to her and had asked her to remain in the house as his guest while she was compiling his biography, and she had accepted the offer not so much for the amount of money involved as for the splendid opportunity it afforded her to gain possession of the letters.

"So that is the mysterious work you spoke of, to get those letters?" said Jefferson.

"Yes; that is my mission. It was a secret. I couldn't tell you. I couldn't tell any one. Only Judge Stott knows. He is aware I have found them and is hourly expecting to receive them from me. And now," she said, "I want your help."

His only answer was to grasp tighter the hand she had laid in his. She knew that she would not have to explain the nature of the service she wanted. He understood.

"Where are the letters?" he demanded.

"In the left hand drawer of your father's desk," she answered.

He was silent for a few moments, and then he said simply:

"I will get them."

The end by this time had got as far as Claremont, and from the hill summit they had a splendid view of the broad sweep of the majestic Hudson and the towering walls of the blue palisades. The day was so beautiful and the air so invigorating that Jefferson suggested a ramble along the banks of the river. They could leave the cab at Claremont and drive back to the city later. Shirley was too grateful to him for his promise of cooperation to make any further opposition, and soon they were far away from beaten highways, down on the banks of the historic stream, picking flowers and laughing merrily like two truant children bent on a self made holiday. The place they had reached was just outside the northern boundaries of Harlem, a sylvan spot still unspoiled by the rude invasion of the flat-house builder. The land, thickly wooded, sloped down sharply to the water, and the perfect quiet was broken only by the washing of the tiny surf against the rocks in the trees.

Although it was late in October, the day was warm, and Shirley soon tired of climbing over bramble entangled verdure. The rich grass underfoot looked cool and inviting, and the natural slope of the ground affording an ideal resting place she sat there, with Jefferson stretched out at her feet, both watching idly the dancing waters of the broad Hudson, spangled with gleams of light, as they swept swiftly by on their journey to the sea.

"Shirley," said Jefferson suddenly. "I suppose you saw that ridiculous story about my alleged engagement to Miss Roberts. I hope you understood that it was done without my consent."

"If I did not guess it, Jeff," she answered, "your assurance would be sufficient. Besides," she added, "what right have I to object?"

"But I want you to have the right," he replied earnestly. "I'm going to stop this Roberts nonsense in a way my father hardly anticipates. I'm just waiting a chance to talk to him. I'll show him the absurdity of announcing me engaged to a girl who is about to elope with his private secretary."

"Elope with the secretary?" exclaimed Shirley.

Jefferson told all about the letter he had found on the staircase and the Hon. Fitzroy Bagley's plans for a runaway marriage with the senator's wealthy daughter.

"It's a godsend to me," he said gleefully. "Their plan is to get married next Wednesday. I'll see my father on Tuesday. I'll put the evidence in his hands, and I don't think," he added grins, "he'll bother me any more about Miss Roberts."

"So you're not going away now?" said Shirley, smiling down at him.

He sat up and leaned over toward her. "I can't, Shirley. I simply can't," he replied, his voice trembling. "You are more to me than I dreamed a woman could ever be. I realize it more forcibly every day. There is no use fighting against it. Without you my work, my life, means nothing."

Shirley shook her head and averted her eyes. "Don't let us speak of that, Jeff," she pleaded gently. "I told you I did not belong to myself while my father was in peril."

"But I must speak of it," he interrupted. "Shirley, you do yourself an injustice as well as me. You are not indifferent to me—I feel that. Then why raise this barrier between us?"

A soft light stole into the girl's eyes. Ah, it was good to feel there was some one to whom she was everything in the world!

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She opened her eyes. His face was bent close over hers. Their lips almost touched.

"Yes, Jefferson," she murmured. "I do love you!"

His lips met hers in a long, passionate kiss. Her eyes closed, and an ecstatic thrill seemed to convulse her entire being. The birds in the trees overhead sang in more joyful chorus in celebration of the betrothal.

(To be continued in next issue.)

ROUND TOP

**DENIZEN WAS TOO YOUNG FOR
THE TRAFFIC.**

**She Was Sent to School of Reform
(?) Until She Attained Her
Legal Majority.**

Beulah Smallman, a girl said to be under 16 years old, who has been residing at the "Round Top" house near Sixth and Flournoy streets, was ordered taken to the state reformatory yesterday afternoon by County Judge R. T. Lightfoot. Patrolman Aaron Hurley was appointed a committee to take the child there. The girl is a daughter of the late Robert Smallman, who was killed by Henry Temple at Maxon Mills several years ago. Her mother was left with few resources, and came to Paducah. Last winter the Charity club helped the couple for several months until the mother was forced to go to River-side hospital by illness. The girl lived with women of questionable character.

European Parcels Post.
Arthur Perry Brink, of Chicago, returned to London today after a tour of the continent, convinced that the American government could conduct a parcels post system with immense benefit to the American people. "Of course," he said to the Daily News correspondent this morning, "the express companies, now making millions, would lose heavily, but the nation would make a corresponding saving. Furthermore, in my opinion, the service would be even quicker and more efficient than it is at present."

"Throughout Europe I saw the parcels post in active and satisfactory operation. At all the railway stations there were in waiting parcels post-wagons and carts, and the parcels were handled with great rapidity. I also saw these vehicles at almost every turn in the streets. Those in charge were smartly dressed and moved as if they understood the value of time. Every kind of a parcel is carried, including valises, suit cases and steamer trunks. "I left my money belt under the mattress of a hotel in Hamburg. The belt had \$200 in it, and I telegraphed back from Berlin for it. The next morning the belt reached me by registered parcels post. Although I had asked the proprietor of the hotel to give the finder \$5 if the money was recovered, not a cent had been taken out. He had prepaid the postage himself and explained in a letter that he had given nothing to the chambermaid because she had violated her instructions by failing to lift the mattress, under which the proprietor himself had found the belt just after I had left. It is needless to say that I could not permit such virtue to go unrewarded."—Chicago Daily News.

"Ma!" "Yes, dearest; what is it?" "Did you get my baby sister at the grocery?" "Of course not. Whatever put such an idea in your head?" "It says on the grocery wagon, 'Families supplied.'"—Judge.

Senator Glucose says that his honesty has never been questioned. That's right. He declined to answer by advice of his counsel.—Brooklyn Eagle.

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**Don't Care Whether Yellow
Fever Breaks Out.**

Conditions Allowed to Accumulate
Can Not Be Eradicated This
Year.

GOVERNOR MAGOON'S REPORT.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The war department today made public a long cable report from Gov. Magoon, of Cuba, which started the medical officers, showing, as it does, that in the short period since the withdrawal of the American government of intervention and the re-assumption of the American government by the Cuban army of pacification, there had been a woeful neglect of sanitary precautions and an almost complete disregard of the treaty obligations under which the Palma government was placed to keep the island clean and healthful, so that it should no longer be a source of danger and infection to the United States and other countries.

The governor's report also discloses the fact that the fever in this last outbreak has not been confined to the hospital corps men, but has extended to other soldiers. He also indicates that the evil sanitary conditions cannot be cured this year, in spite of the most vigorous efforts on the part of the American authorities, in which it appears they received little support from the native Cuban physicians.

Secretary Taft Alarmed.
Before he left Washington Secretary Taft became seriously concerned for the safety of the American troops and residents in Cuba as the result of the occurrence of yellow fever at Cienfuegos. He cabled to Governor Magoon a request for a full statement of the conditions, and urged the governor to take every step that prudence and experience should suggest to eradicate the disease. Governor Magoon complied by sending today's report.

The report says there are three cases in town exclusive of soldiers. "Twelve soldiers contracted the disease, and three of them died. All soldiers contracted the disease in hospital. No cases have appeared in soldiers' quarters."

The report adds: "Probably a case of yellow fever, so mild as to be unrecognizable, was admitted to the private hospital and stegomyia in hospital became infected and afterward got through the screen into quarters occupied by soldiers' hospital. Infected mosquitoes might have remained dormant during cool weather, in winter months, and became active when warm weather returned and escaped detection."

Cubans Indifferent.

"The Cubans are indifferent to this disease, and it is difficult to induce or compel native physicians to take the time and trouble to distinguish yellow fever from other fevers and make report thereon."

"If we accept the mosquito doctrine, we must relieve the local civil officials from responsibility, except for failure to secure reports of all cases of fever or increased temperatures, for it is a practical impossibility to eliminate the stegomyia from Cienfuegos until the completion of the waterworks, sewers, pavement, complete drainage of the city and discontinuance of use of water containers."

"After yellow fever made its appearance in the hospital at Cienfuegos it was found that the jar used to hold water run through the filter in the main hall of the hospital contained stegomyia larvae."

Improvements Delayed.
After detailing measures to investigate and designed to remedy the situation, Gov. Magoon says he hopes the situation will permit immediate construction of the Cienfuegos water works and sewers, now held up by the Kelly contract controversy. He adds: "I am pressing the public works department to complete plans for water and sewer systems, and hope to get work started in ten or fifteen cities within the next few months."

"Outside Cienfuegos there are three cases, two in Matanzas and one in Alacranes, near Matanzas. The remainder of the island is free from the disease. The situation calls for prompt and vigorous attention and will receive it, but is much better than it was last fall at this time and I hope will not occasion continued alarm. The military authorities of the United States and all branches of the Cuban government are co-operating heartily and fully."

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